

## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of

Masayuki KOYAMA

Application No.: 10/821,985

Filed: April 12, 2004



Customer Number: 20277

Confirmation Number: 2075

Group Art Unit: 2187

Examiner: Ernest Unelus

For: DIRECT MEMORY ACCESS CONTROLLER ENABLING CYCLE STEALING AMONG CHANNELS

Mail Stop Amendment  
 Commissioner for Patents  
 P.O. Box 1450  
 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an Amendment in the above-identified application.

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No additional fee is required.

Applicant is entitled to small entity status under 37 CFR 1.27

Also attached:

The fee has been calculated as shown below:

	NO. OF CLAIMS	HIGHEST PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	EXTRA CLAIMS	RATE	FEE
Total Claims	8	20	0	\$50.00 =	\$0.00
Independent Claims	1	3	0	\$200.00 =	\$0.00
Multiple dependent claims newly presented					\$0.00
Fee for extension of time					\$0.00
					\$0.00
Total of Above Calculations					\$0.00

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The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of any fees associated with this communication or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 500417, including any filing fees under 37 CFR 1.16 for presentation of extra claims and any patent application processing fees under 37 CFR 1.17.

Respectfully submitted,

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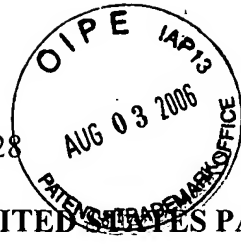
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**AMENDMENT**

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Sir:

The following remarks are submitted in response to the non-final Office Action dated May 3, 2006.

**REMARKS**

Claims 1 through 8 remain pending in this application and have been rejected in the Office Action of May 3, 2006. Favorable reconsideration of the application in light of the following comments is respectfully solicited.

The Office Action has acknowledged the submission of the Information Disclosure Statement of April 12, 2004 and stated that the cited references have been considered. It is noted, however, that the form PTO-1449 exhibits the Examiner's initials for only two of the three references that were submitted and listed on the form, presumably an inadvertent error. Acknowledgement of consideration of the AMBA publication in a further copy of the PTO-1449 is respectfully solicited for clarification of the record.